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Foreign Agents  
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SUPPLEMENTAL REGISTRATION STATEMENT

Pursuant to Section 2 of the Foreign Agents  
Registration Act of 1938, as Amended

REGISTRATION No. 464

For Six Months Period Ending SEPTEMBER 30, 1950

1. (a) Name of Registrant.

**NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TELEGRAPH AGENCY OF THE USSR (TASS)  
(Covering Sub-Bureau in Washington, D.C.)**

(b) All other names used by Registrant during the period.

**NONE**

(c) Address of principal office.

**50 Rockefeller Plaza, New York, N.Y.**

(d) Name of person or persons in charge of principal office.

**Ivan I. Beglov, Manager**

3. If Registrant is a nonbusiness membership organization, state—

(a) Approximate number of members in the United States .....

**Inapplicable**

(b) Approximate number of members outside the United States .....

**Inapplicable**

4. (a) All persons who became partners, officers, directors, and similar officials of Registrant during the period.

Name and address  
of official

Date connection began

Position, office, or nature  
of duties

**None**

(b) All persons who ceased to be partners, officers, directors, or similar officials of Registrant during the period.

Name and address  
of official

Date connection ended

Reason for ending  
connection

**None**

5. (a) All branches and local units of Registrant and all other component or affiliated groups or organizations which began to operate during the period.

*Name and address of branch, unit,  
group, or organization*

*Nature of connection with  
Registrant*

*Name and address of person  
in charge*

**NONE**

- (b) All branches and local units of Registrant and all other component or affiliated groups or organizations which ceased to operate during the period.

*Name of branch, unit, group, or organization*

*Reason operations ceased*

**NONE**

6. All persons who at any time during the period were foreign principals of Registrant.

*Name and principal  
address*

*Is person still a foreign principal  
of Registrant?*

*If not, give date connection  
ended*

**The Telegraph Agency of the U.S.S.R.**

7. Describe fully all activities of Registrant during the period for or in the interests of each foreign principal named under item 6.

**Gathering and transmitting American news to the U.S.S.R.**

8. Describe briefly all other businesses, occupations, and public activities in which Registrant engaged during the period.

**NONE**

9. Furnish the following information as to all employees and other individuals, except those named under item 4, who during the period rendered any services or assistance to Registrant, with or without compensation, for or in the interests of any foreign principal named under item 6:

(a) All such employees and other individuals for whom Exhibits A have previously been filed.

Name and address of employee or other individual	Nature of any changes during period in activities for Registrant or its foreign principals	Has connection with Registrant ended?
Kenneth Durant	East Jamaica, Vt.	No
Esther Shields	9 W. 97 St., NYC	No
Harry Freeman	22 E. 89 St., NYC	No
Emilio D. Rodriguez-	29 W. 97 St., NYC	No
Harry Ross	369 Bleecker St., NYC	No
Jean Montgomery	5041-12th St., NE, Wash, DC	No
Paul Burns	294 W. 11 St., NYC	No
Sasha Small Lurie	345 Bleecker St., NYC	No
Jerome Klein	47 Morton St., NYC	No
Frederick Van Widen-	1420 York Ave., NYC	No
Mays Jones	270 Ft. Washington Ave., NYC	No
Laurence Todd	4805 Langdrum Lane, Chevy Chase, MD.	No
Mikhail Fedorov	729 Quebec Place, Wash. D.C.	No
Nikolai M. Karev	56 W. 105 St., NYC	No
Nikolai Kossov	380 Riverside Drive, NYC	No
Vladimir Morev	380 Riverside Drive, NYC	(Recalled to U.S.S.R. Left Am.s. 8, 1950)
Nikolai I. Nikitin	101 West 109 St., NYC	No
Pavel Fisunov	40 West 84th St., NYC	No
Leonid Sorokin	32 East 35 St., NYC	No

Angela Sorokina	32 East 35 St., NYC	Librarian	No	D
Alexandra Fisunova	40 West 84th St., NYC	Librarian	No	D
Harry Parris	700 West 178 St., Bx, NY	Teletypist	No	D
Jack Arikian	24-39-28 St., Astoria, LI	Teletypist	No	D
Elinor Schaffle	1875 Mintwood Pl, Wash, DC	Teletypist	No	D
Ferman Phillips	(began employment as teletypist on May 12, 1950; terminated services on July 7, 1950. We have no address for him.)			D

Filing of Exhibit A for all of the above names waived because they are clerical and nondiscretionary employees who are not engaged in writing, speaking, organizational or other public or political activities on behalf of TASS or otherwise.

8. Describe briefly all other businesses, occupations, and public activities in which Registrant engaged during the period.

**NONE**

9. Furnish the following information as to all employees and other individuals, except those named under item 4, who during the period rendered any services or assistance to Registrant, with or without compensation, for or in the interests of any foreign principal named under item 6:

(a) All such employees and other individuals for whom Exhibits A have previously been filed.

Name and address of employee or other individual	Nature of any changes during period in activities for Registrant or its foreign principals	Has connection with Registrant ended?
Kenneth Durant	East Jamaica, Vt.	None
Esther Shields	9 W. 97 St., NYC	"
Harry Freeman	22 E. 89 St., NYC	"
Emilio D. Rodriguez-	29 W. 97 St., NYC	"
Harry Ross	369 Bleecker St., NYC	"
Jean Montgomery	5041-12th St., NE, Wash, DC	"
Paul Burns	294 W. 11 St., NYC	"
Sasha Small Laurie	345 Bleecker St., NYC	"
Jerome Klein	47 Morton St., NYC	"
Frederick Van Widen	1420 York Ave., NYC	"
Hays Jones	270 Ft. Washington Ave. NYC	"
Laurence Todd	4805 Langdrum Lane, Chevy Chase, MD.	None
Mikhail Fedorov	729 Quebec Place, Wash. D.C.	None
Nikolai M. Karev	56 W. 105 St., NYC	"
Nikolai Kossow	380 Riverside Drive, NYC	"
Vladimir Morev	380 Riverside Drive, NYC	(Recalled to U.S.S.R. Left Aug. 8, 1950)
Nikolai I. Nikitin	101 West 109 St., NYC	None
Pavel Fisanov	40 West 84th St., NYC	"
Leonid Sorokin	32 East 35 St., NYC	"

(b) All such employees and other individuals for whom Exhibits A have not been previously filed.

Name and address of employee or other individual	Nature of services or assistance rendered	Has connection with Registrant ended?
Harry Fisher	4309-47 Ave., LIC -Teletypist	No
Edith Fisher	4309-47 Ave., LIC -Bookkeeper	No
Missie Harris	45 Hawthorne Street, Bklyn - Editl Ass't	No
Ray Bell	147 Ocean Ave., Bklyn Tech. Ass't	No
Mon Burroughs	114 E. 123 St., NYC Librarian	No
Mildred	429 E. 65 St., NYC -DIRD JULY 5, 1950-	Yes
Joseph Israel	445 W. 124 St., NYC Teletypist	No
Viridien	1712-16th St., NW, Wash. D.C. Teletypist	No
Robert Berger	1749 Lanier Pl., N.W. Wash, D.C. " (Left September 8, 1950)	Yes
Reva	380 Riverside Dr., NYC Librarian (recalled to USSR-left Aug. 8, 1950)	Yes
Frank Sloma	2132 Prospect Ave. Bx, NY Switchboard Operator	No
(name is Sloma)		
Lazaniewa	540 W. 113 St., NYC Librarian	No
	414 W. 120 St., NYC relief teletypist (left May 7, 1950)	Yes

10. Furnish the following information as to Registrant's receipts and expenditures during the period covered by this statement. The information may, if Registrant desires, be furnished for Registrant's latest semiannual fiscal period, provided the period covered is indicated and future statements are furnished on the same basis:

(a) All amounts received during the period directly or indirectly from each foreign principal named under item 6, itemized as follows:

<i>Date funds received</i>	<i>Name of foreign principal from whom funds received<sup>2</sup></i>	<i>Purposes for which received<sup>3</sup></i>	<i>Amount received<sup>4</sup></i>
April 6, 1950	Telegraph Agency of the U.S.S.R.-Moscow	All operational Expenditures	\$18,400.00
April 28, 1950	"	"	31,000.00
June 6, 1950	"	"	16,875.00
June 26, 1950	"	"	13,500.00
July 5, 1950	"	"	18,375.00
August 7, 1950	"	"	16,850.00
Sept. 8, 1950	"	"	19,500.00

(b) All amounts received during the period from other sources to be used directly or indirectly for or in the interests of any foreign principal named under item 6, itemized as follows:<sup>1</sup>

<i>Date funds received</i>	<i>Name of person from whom received<sup>2</sup></i>	<i>Purposes for which received<sup>3</sup></i>	<i>Amount received<sup>4</sup></i>
<b>NONE</b>			

(c) All expenditures made during the period directly or indirectly for or in the interests of each foreign principal named under item 6, itemized as follows:<sup>5</sup>

<i>Date payment was made</i>	<i>Name of person to whom payment was made<sup>2</sup></i>	<i>Purposes for which payment was made<sup>3</sup></i>	<i>Amount of payment<sup>4</sup></i>
April 1, 1950 through September 30, 1950		Salaries and Medical	\$76,721.23
		Rent, Maintenance, Books, Subscriptions, Supplies, Equipment, and other office expenses	15,505.22
		Press Wireless, American Cable & Radio Corporation, RCA Communications, Western Union, Associated Press, United Press, Washington City News Service, N.Y. Telephone Company, Chesapeake & Potomac Telephone Company, and others	41,926.97

<sup>1</sup> Include all amounts so received, whether received as compensation, loans, contributions, subscriptions, fees, dues, subsidies, or otherwise.

<sup>2</sup> Receipts from or payments to a person amounting to less than \$200 for the period may be combined with other like amounts, provided the source or disposition of the funds, as the case may be, is clearly indicated.

<sup>3</sup> Where funds were received or paid, as the case may be, for various purposes, such purposes shall be listed in reasonable detail.

<sup>4</sup> Show separately the amount received or paid, as the case may be, for each purpose listed under the preceding column.

<sup>5</sup> Include all transfers of funds to any foreign principal.

11. (a) Speeches, lectures, talks, and radio broadcasts arranged or sponsored by Registrant or delivered by officials or employees of Registrant, during the period.

*Name of person by  
whom delivered*

*Number of speeches, lectures,  
and talks delivered*

*Number of radio broadcasts  
delivered*

**INAPPLICABLE**

- (b) Publications prepared or distributed by Registrant, or by others for Registrant, or in the preparation or distribution of which Registrant rendered any services or assistance, during the period. (Indicate each type of publication by an "X".)

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| (1) Press releases . . . . . | (8) Circulars . . . . .   | (15) Lantern slides . . . . .     |
| (2) News bulletins . . . . . | (9) Form letters . . . . .  | (16) Still pictures . . . . .     |
| (3) Newspapers . . . . .     | (10) Reprints . . . . .   | (17) Posters . . . . .            |
| (4) Articles . . . . .       | (11) Copies of speeches, lec-<br>tures, talks, or radio<br>broadcasts . . . . . | (18) Photographs . . . . .        |
| (5) Books . . . . .          |   | (19) Charts . . . . .             |
| (6) Magazines . . . . .      | (12) Radio programs . . . . .   | (20) Maps . . . . .               |
| (7) Pamphlets . . . . .      | (13) Radio scripts . . . . .  | (21) Other publications . . . . . |
|                              | (14) Moving pictures . . . . .  |                                   |

**INAPPLICABLE**

- (c) Preparation and distribution of publications referred to in answer to (b) above.

*Description of  
publication*

*By whom written, edited,  
or prepared*

*By whom printed, produced,  
or published*

*By whom  
distributed*

**INAPPLICABLE**

- (d) Compliance with the filing, labeling, and reporting provisions of Section 4 of the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938, as amended, and Rule 400 thereunder.

- (1) Were copies or summaries of all communications and publications referred to in answer to (a) and (b) above filed with the Department of Justice and the Librarian of Congress? If not, explain why copies or summaries of any such communications and publications were not filed.

**INAPPLICABLE**

- (2) Were all such communications and publications labeled in accordance with Section 4 and Rule 400? If not, explain why any such communications and publications were not so labeled.

**INAPPLICABLE**

- (3) Were reports of the delivery, distribution, or other dissemination of all such communications and publications made to the Department of Justice in accordance with Section 4 and Rule 400? If not, explain why any such reports were omitted.

**INAPPLICABLE**

12. (a) Any changes during the period, not fully described above, in Registrant's affiliations, associations, or other connections with foreign governments, foreign political parties, or officials or agencies thereof.

*Name of government, party, or official  
or agency thereof*

*Nature of changes during period in Registrant's  
connections therewith*

**NONE**

- (b) Any changes during the period in Registrant's pecuniary interest in or control over partnerships, corporations, associations, or other organizations or combinations of individuals.

*Name of organization or  
combination*

*Nature of changes during period in  
Registrant's ownership or other  
pecuniary interest*

*Nature of changes during period in any  
direction or control exercised  
by Registrant*

**NONE**

13. (a) Any changes during the period in the ownership of or supervision, direction or control over Registrant by any organization, group, or individual.

*Name of organization, group,  
or individual*

*Nature of changes during period in ownership,  
supervision, direction, or control*

**NONE**

- (b) Any subsidy or other financial assistance received by Registrant during the period directly or indirectly from—

Any individual who is a citizen of, or resides in, a foreign country.

Any organization created in, or under the laws of, any foreign country or having its principal place of business in a foreign country.

Any foreign government or foreign political party, or any official or agency thereof.

*Name of person from whom subsidy or  
financial assistance received*

*Nature and amount of subsidy or  
financial assistance*

**NONE (see Item 10A)**

14. File the following exhibits with this statement:

*Exhibit A.*—File an Exhibit A, on the printed form provided therefor, for each of the following persons for whom an Exhibit A has not previously been filed:

**Furnished**

- (a) All partners, officers, directors, and similar officials of Registrant.

**Furnished**

- (b) All employees or other individuals who during the period rendered any services or assistance to Registrant, with or without compensation, for or in the interests of any foreign principal named under item 6.

**See Item 9B**

*Exhibit B.*—File a copy of any changes during the period in the agreement, arrangement, or authorization (or if not in writing a written description thereof) pursuant to which Registrant is acting for, or receiving funds from, each foreign principal named under item 6.

**INAPPLICABLE**

*Exhibit C.*—File an Exhibit C, on the printed form provided therefor, for each foreign principal named under item 6 for whom an Exhibit C has not previously been filed.

**Furnished**

*Exhibit D.*—If Registrant is a nonbusiness organization, file a copy of any changes during the period in its charter, constitution, bylaws, or other instruments of organization.

**Inapplicable**

*Exhibit E.*—File a copy of the agreement or arrangement (or if not in writing, a written description thereof) between the Registrant and each business firm or other organization named under item 11 (c), and copies of all changes during the period in similar contracts previously filed.

**Inapplicable**



The undersigned swear(s) or affirm(s) that he has (they have) read the information set forth in this statement and the attached exhibits and that he is (they are) familiar with the contents thereof and that such contents are in their entirety true and accurate to the best of his (their) knowledge and belief, except that the undersigned make(s) no representation as to the truth or accuracy of the information contained in Exhibit A insofar as such information is not within his (their) personal knowledge.

(Type or print name under each signature)

*Ivan I. Beglov*

(Signature)

IVAN I. BEGLOV

(Both copies of this statement shall be signed and sworn to before a notary public or other person authorized to administer oaths, by a majority of those partners, officers, directors, or persons performing similar functions who are in the United States. If no such person is in the United States, the statement shall be signed and sworn to by the duly authorized representative of the Registrant.)

(Signature)

(Signature)

(Signature)

Subscribed and sworn to before me at

*nyc*

this

*31st*

day of

*October*

, 19*60*

*George H. Baum*

(Signature of notary or other officer)

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_\_

GEORGE H. BAUM  
NOTARY PUBLIC, State of New York  
No. 41-0193650  
Qualified in Queens County  
Certificate filed in New York County  
Clerk and Register  
Commission expires March 30, 1961